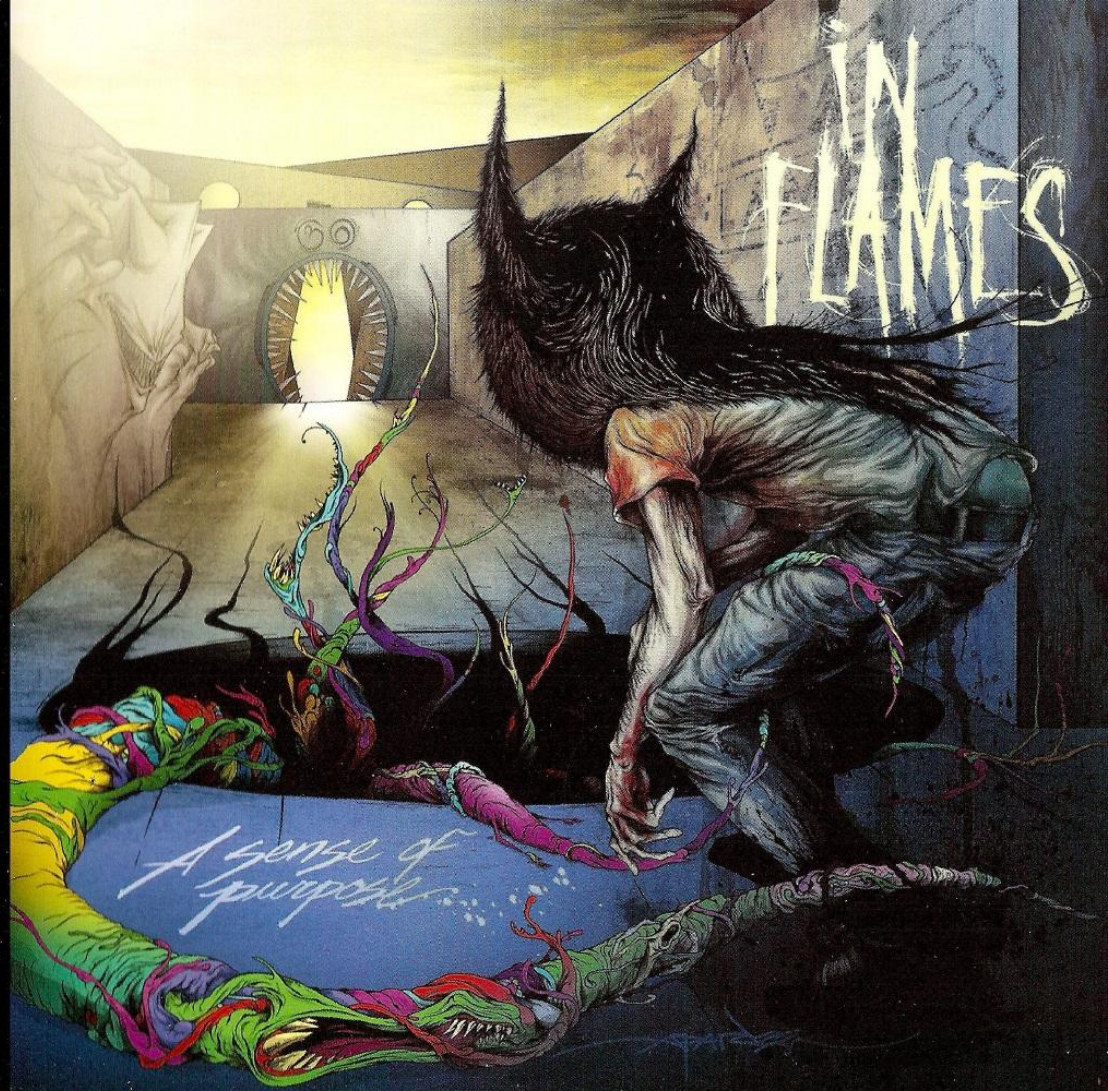
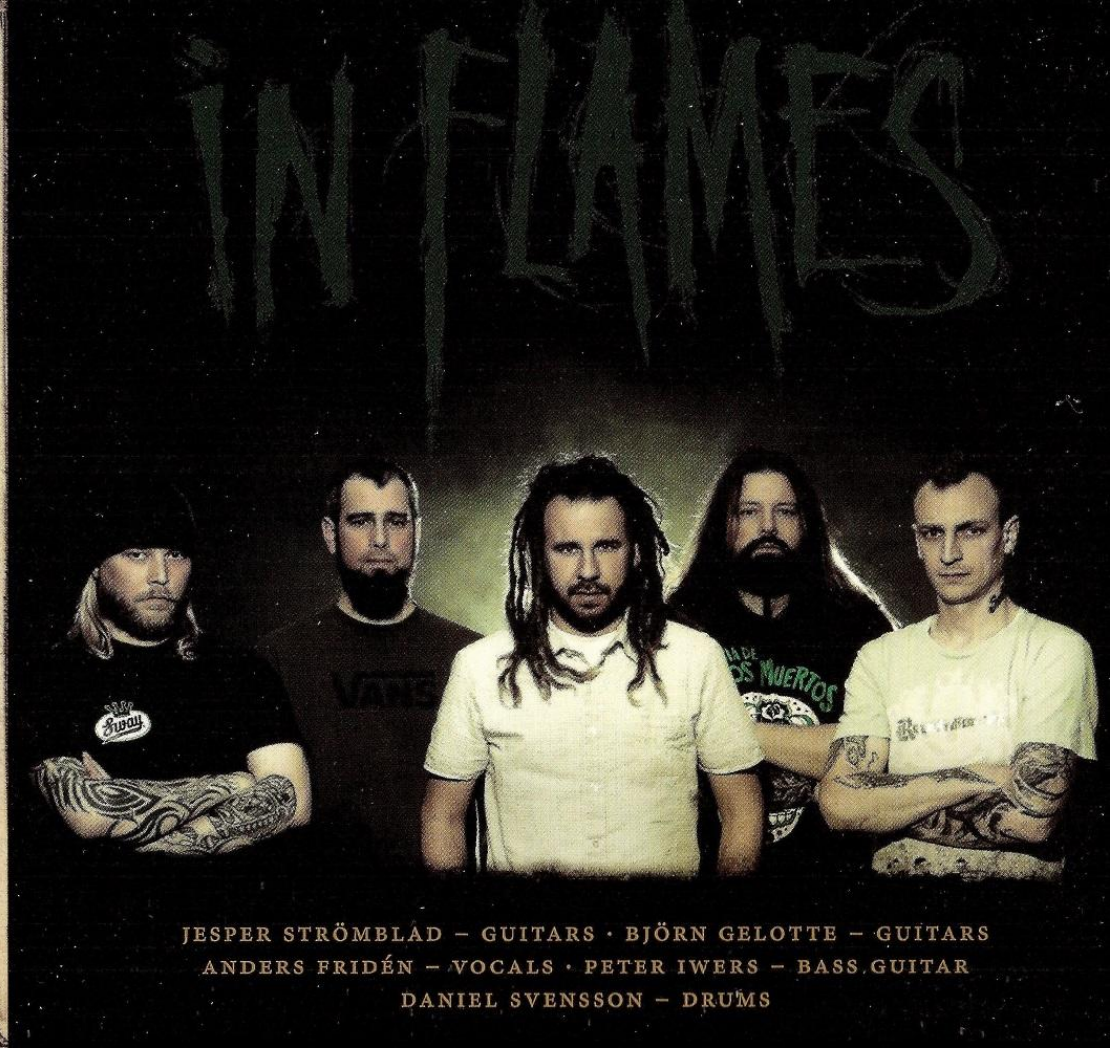
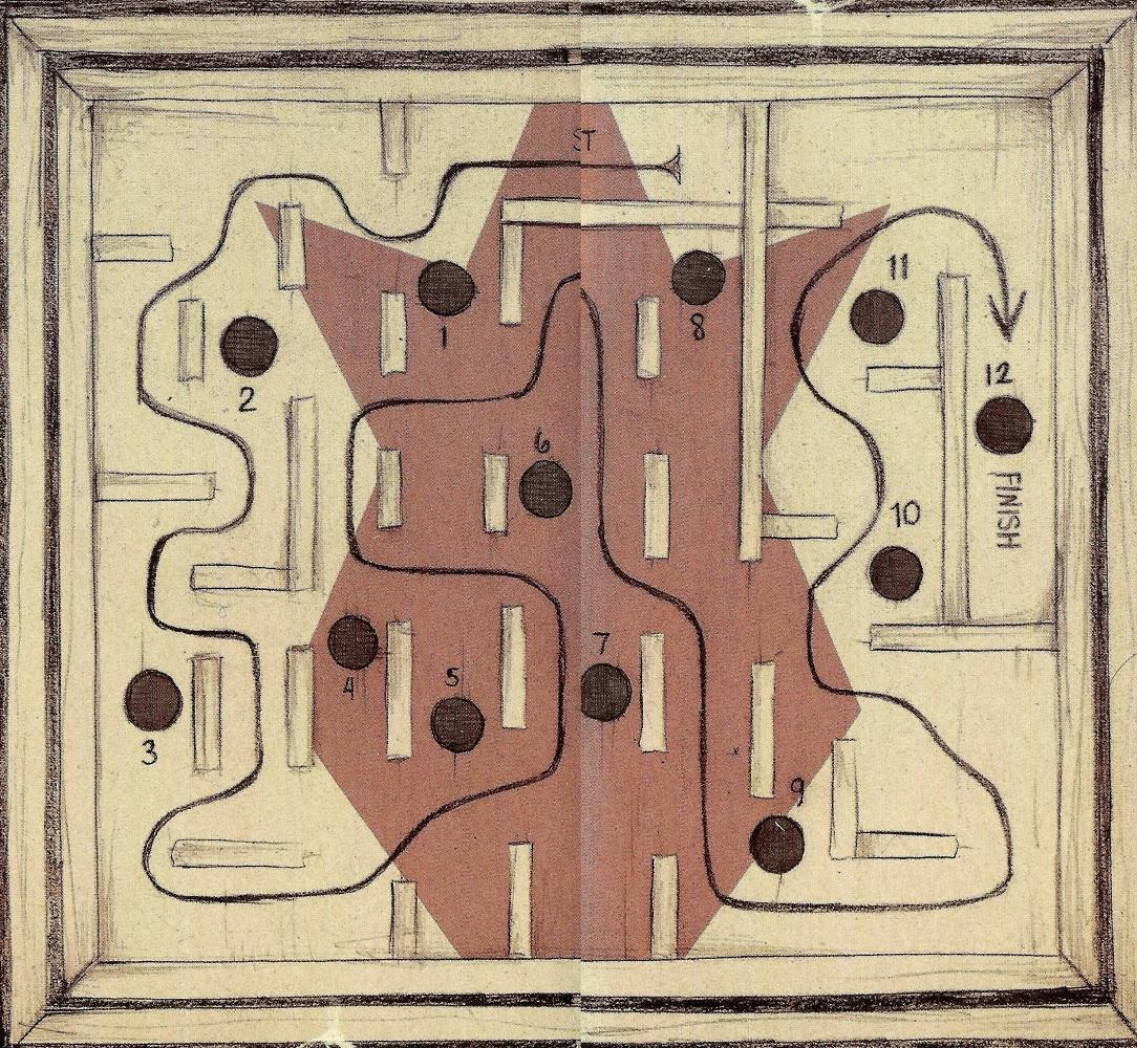


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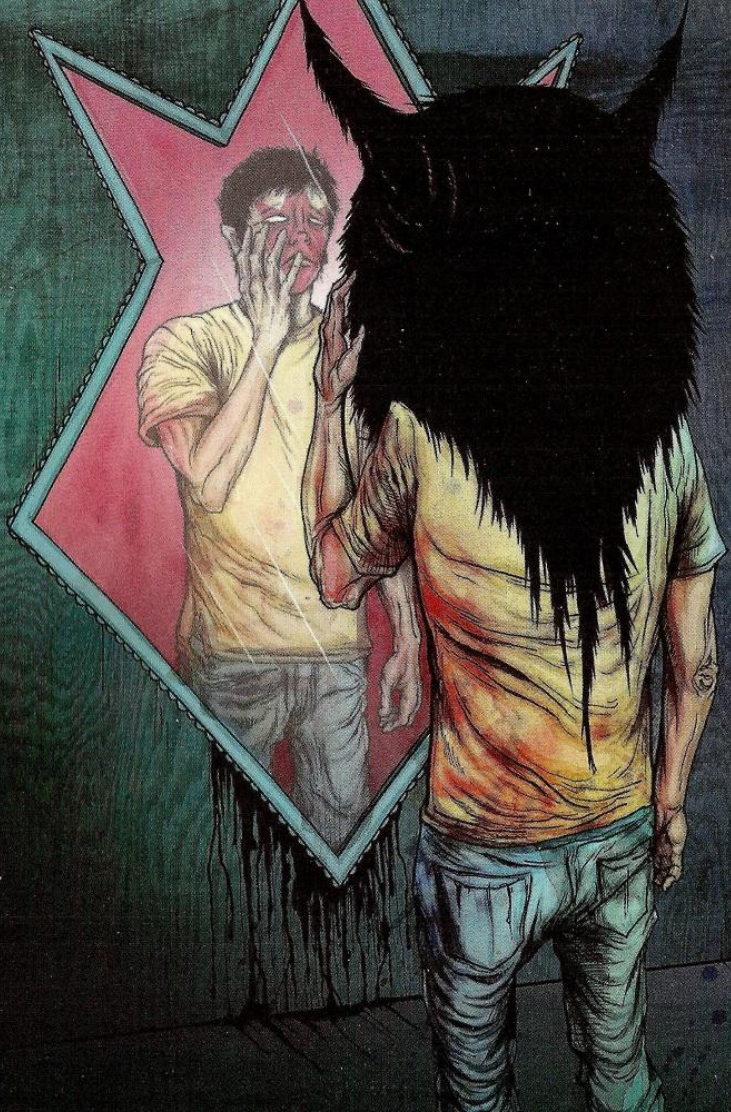






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# THE MIRROR'S TRUTH THE WILDOULD LYNTH

is spectacle, our collapse, It's not a false alarm  
The ashes settle in.

I guess we are the insane as we ignore  
The Mirror's Truth

Should I join the feast, Should I acknowledge the leash.  
future in captivity I'm not who I'm supposed to be  
Without even trying (Killing the last scene) Let this night explode  
Find the exit sign and disappear

The leeding, We deceive them, fuel the life that fades  
At the height of reason, We should live by your laws

CALL the swarm  
Feed them another false hope.



# Disconnected

Look at the dead outside my window  
Wonder what's on their mind?

Why do they run?

They all seem to have a mission  
But then they cry themselves to sleep

You'll receive what you give, and this is like nothing  
I feel like shit but at least I feel something

Is this all you meant to be?

Their marks in the pavement.

You've walked this route too many times

What if I change the signs, Would you even take notice

Is this all you have to give?

Go.. March... Straight jacket union...

Go.. March

In Chains - surrender.



# SLEEPLESS AGAIN.

HOPELESS TIMES APPROACH JUST GIVE INTO THE CHAOS  
STRANGELY I FIND COMFORT HERE  
IMPATIENT AND CURIOUS OF WHAT MAY COME  
AND SO THE RAMPAGE BEGINS  
AGAINST THE HEADACHE I CAN'T WIN  
~~DRAIN ME~~

KEEP ME IN THE DARK.

DON'T WANT TO TAKE PART  
PREFER TO BE FOREVER NUMB

NOTHING ~~WORTH~~ GREAT CAN COME OUT OF THIS.

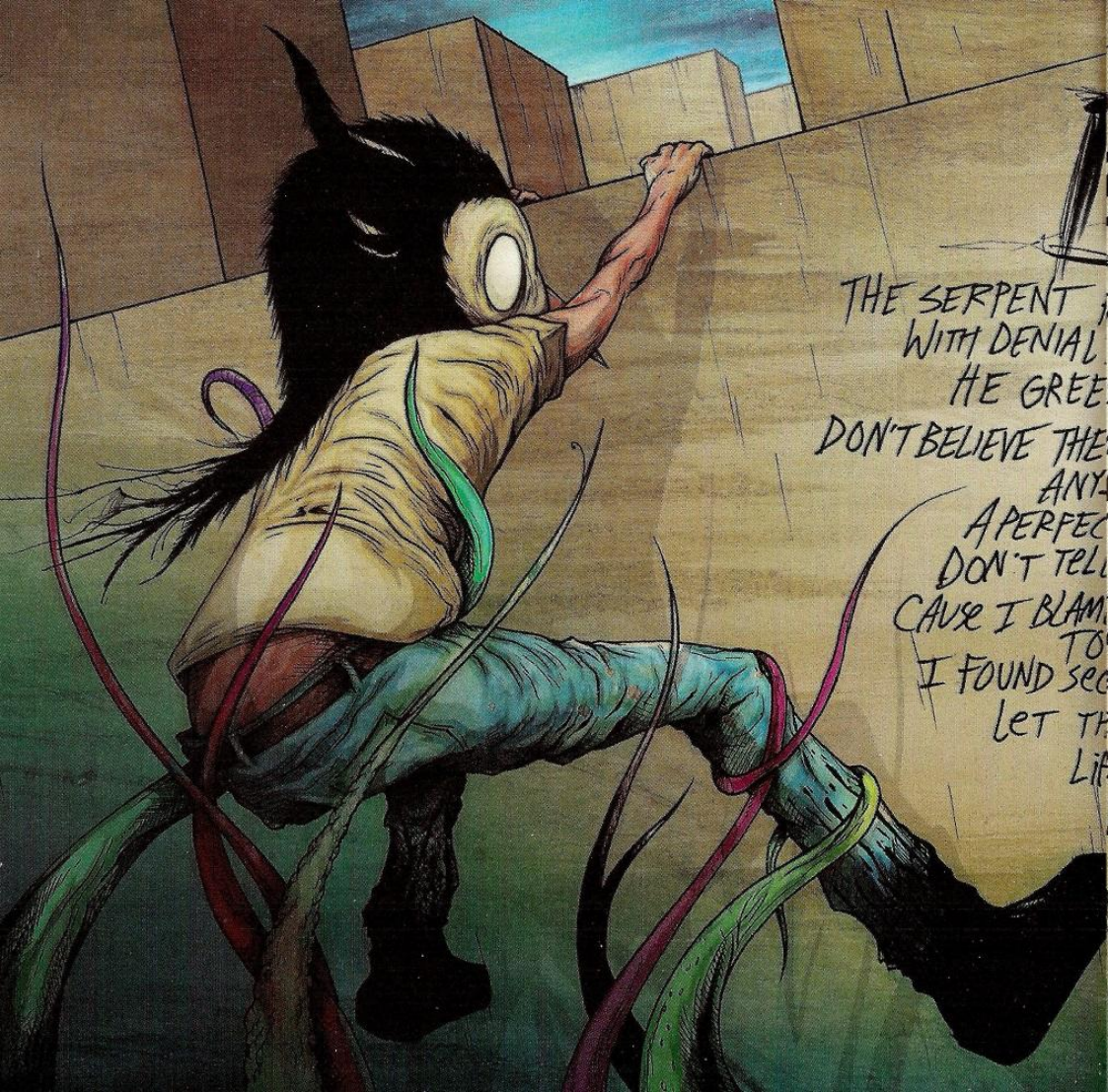
BUT I'M HOSTAGE TO MYSELF

I FEAR I MIGHT ~~THE~~ COLLAPSE  
ON THE RAZOR'S EDGE

AND I FEAR I'LL REALIZE WHEN IT'S TOO LATE.  
SLEEPLESS AGAIN

I NEED TO EASE MY MIND  
AND KILL WHAT BURNS  
INSIDE.





# Alias

THE SERPENT KNOWS, WHEN THE CURTAIN FALLS  
WITH DENIAL, BLINDFOLD,  
HE GREETS ANOTHER ~~NEW~~ DAY  
DON'T BELIEVE THE MASK, IT ADAPTS TO  
ANY ~~NEW~~ LIE.  
A PERFECT TEN WHEN REALITY CAVES IN  
DON'T TELL ME, TELL MY GHOST  
CAUSE I BLAME HIM FOR ALL I DON'T WANT  
TO KNOW.  
I FOUND SECRETS ABOUT LIFE'S UNDERTOW  
LET THEM TAKE ME FAR AWAY  
LIFE'S WRAPPED IN A RIDDLE  
EASIER SAID THAN DONE  
HATE TO PLAY THE VICTIM  
RATHER RUN AND HIDE. CRAWL BACK IN PLACE.  
IT'S EASIER TO COPE BEHIND THE CURTAIN  
WIPE THE ~~NEW~~ WORRIES AWAY.  
NO THOUGHT ABOUT THE CONSEQUENCE.

# I'm The Highway

I am my deepest shadow  
something I can't ever neglect  
Rise above these ashes  
Or fall and fade away  
In dark moments I know better  
Within destruction I see clearly  
From here, to new grounds  
Suppose I'll be doing it alone  
With a smile through black design  
Fearless of your conviction  
Staring into truth I'm the highway  
Existence, care for me in all  
your everlasting complications  
Forget the Promised Land there was  
never an invitation. Today I  
create my own Before there was  
sorrow and a lack of attention.



## Delight and Angers

Everyday takes figuring out how to live, Sometimes it feels like a mistake

Sometimes its a winner's parade, Delight and angers

I guess that's the way its supposed to be

Please heal me, I can't sleep, Thought I was unbreakable, but this is killing me

Call me everything, Make me feel unbreakable, Lie and set me free

I feel the fear takes hold, Afraid this hell I create is my own  
Calm my franticness, I can't take it anymore, This used to be my own world, But now i've

LOST CONTROL

Chasing leftovers, Under the fading sun, Searching for shelter, I feel my time has come

# MOVE THROUGH ME

Consume the curse  
that brings you down  
A fading liar  
who wakes up alone

Invert this tragedy  
to come  
and reclaim your  
future  
This is a call to arms  
One quest at a time

Avoid the mould  
Desperate you  
regress  
Move Through  
ME  
I'll be your  
triumph

It's there  
in front of you

Feed the hunger  
Climb on up  
Repress the  
negative  
You are not  
alone



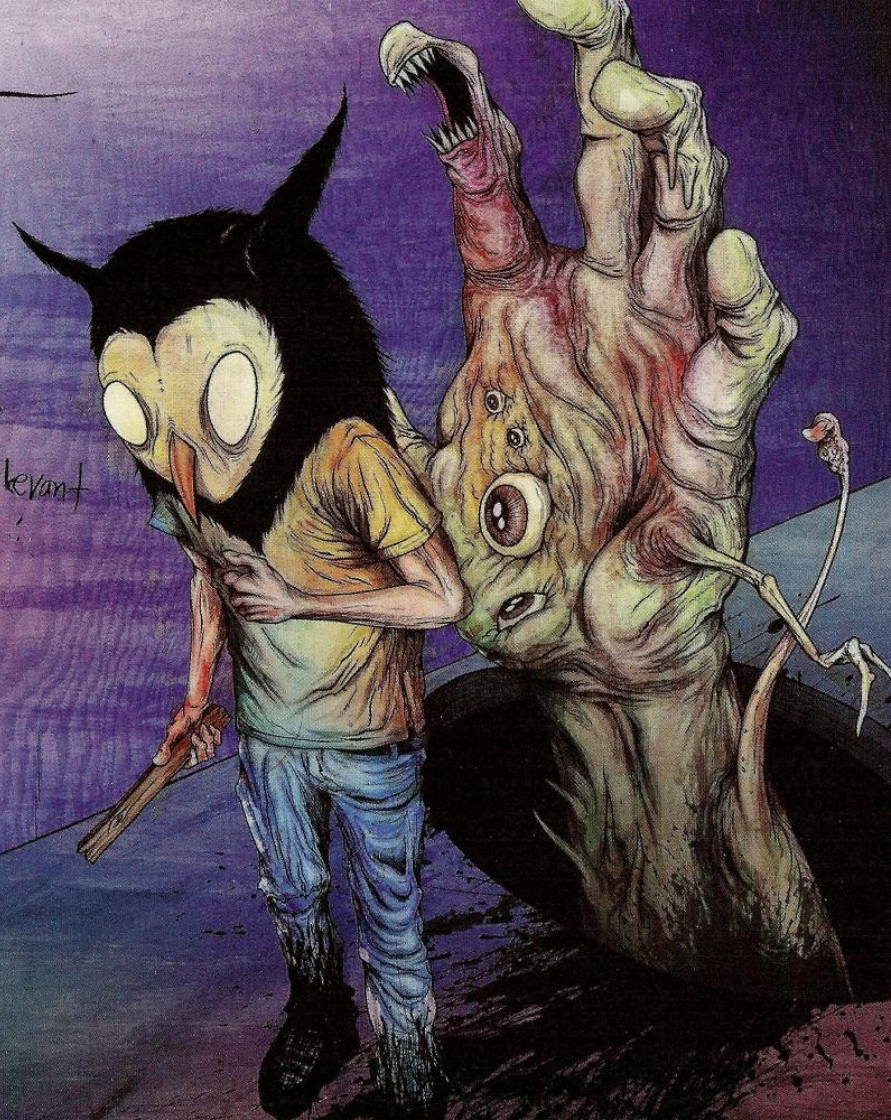


# THE CHOSEN PESSIMIST

TELL ME WHICH SIDE I'M ON  
APPROACHING CONSTANT FAILURE  
WHO'S FRIEND OR FOE?  
BETWEEN LOVE AND HATE  
WHICH PATH TO FOLLOW?  
HOW CAN I KEEP BALANCE IN THIS RACE?  
COME FAITH, I'M DYING..... SLOWLY  
IN MANY WAYS I'M THE BURDEN  
THAT DIVIDES US FROM THE LIGHT  
IN MANY WAYS YOU'RE THE HALO  
THAT KEEPS MY SPIRIT ALIVE  
TEMPTATION  
PLAY THE GOOD OR EVIL PART  
WITH ME, YOU EVOKE THE DARK  
ERASE THE FREE WILL WATCH ME HEAL  
AMUSED BY THE TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS  
IF I SURVIVE I FLY FROM HERE  
BUT AS THE CHOSEN PESSIMIST  
I CARVE MY NAME IN STONE.

## SOBER AND IRRELEVANT

Used to be origin but now  
i tremble in fear  
I am like everyone else  
and that burime  
is this how it feels to reach bottom  
Want to know how it feels be forgotten?  
I've become the distance I am sober and irrelevant  
i don't feel part in this, What here to believe.  
i'm not asking for much just a moment  
A chance to pick up the pieces.  
Happiness please be home  
What if it ends right  
How do I change  
Hoping to find a savior  
I've lost  
my way.

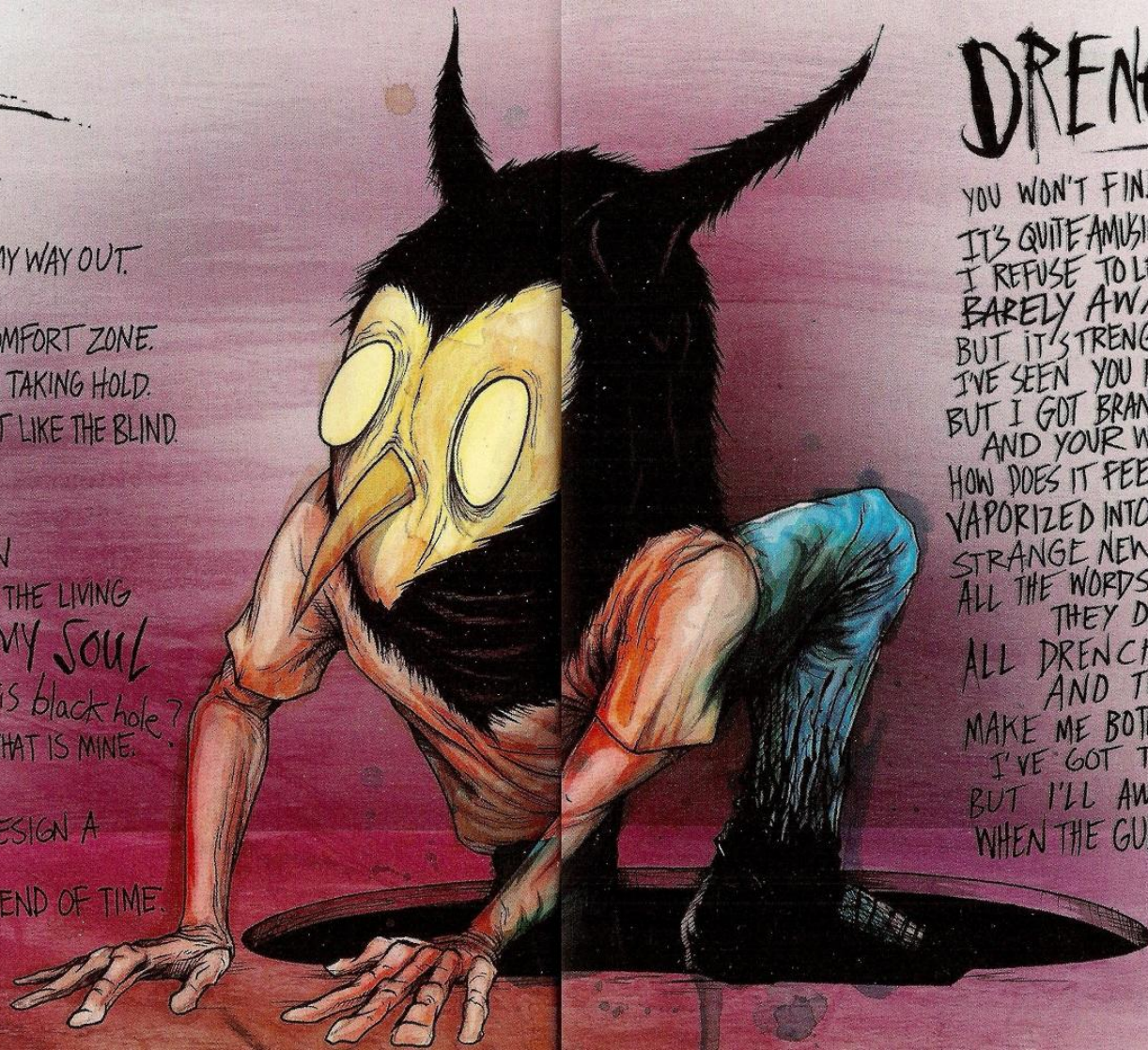




# CONDEMNED

SO RESTLESS  
THESE WALLS DRAIN MY THOUGHTS...  
ROOM 307  
CAN'T FIND MY WAY OUT.

IT USED TO BE MY HOME.  
THIS CAGE, FAR FROM MY COMFORT ZONE.  
ALIVE BUT WITHOUT CONTROL... FEAR IS TAKING HOLD.  
I SHOULD CROSS THE LINE... CONFRONT LIKE THE BLIND.  
HEAR A DISTANT CRY...  
WOULD YOU TELL ME HOW  
BREAK THE CYCLE THAT I'M IN  
AND DISCOVER THE LIVING  
**I DON'T RECOGNIZE MY SOUL**  
CONDEMNED TO LIVE IN THIS BLACK HOLE?  
DIG WITHIN TIME... AND CRAVE WHAT IS MINE.  
IT'S A HILL TO CLIMB.  
WOULD BE A DREAM IF I DESIGN A  
FUTURE  
AND NOT THE END OF TIME.



# DRENCHED IN FEAR

YOU WON'T FIND A FRIENDLY FACE IN THE CROWD  
IT'S QUITE AMUSING TO SEE HOW YOU SUFFER  
I REFUSE TO LET YOU STEAL MY DAYLIGHT  
**BARELY AWAKE**  
BUT IT STRENGTHENS MY NIGHT RAGE  
I'VE SEEN YOU KILL MANY DREAMS  
BUT I GOT BRAND NEW ARMOR  
AND YOUR WEAPONS ARE WAY OUT OF REACH  
HOW DOES IT FEEL TO BE DEMOLISHED?  
VAPORIZED INTO THIN AIR  
STRANGE NEW FEELING, TO BE NOTHING?  
ALL THE WORDS I HEAR...  
THEY DON'T MEAN A THING  
**ALL DRENCHED IN FEAR**  
AND THE HATE YOU BRING.  
MAKE ME BOTHER, I DARE YOU  
I'VE GOT THE STRENGTH I NEED  
BUT I'LL AWAIT MY DARKEST MOMENT  
WHEN THE GUILT DOESN'T GET TO ME.





# March To The Shore

I used to adore you  
The lies made sense somehow  
I gave myself away without a fight  
But the betrayal craved its price  
At first I was scared, Not used to a murderer's mind  
But there was something beautiful, So powerful,  
so definite, so divine.  
Pushing the faith, Build out of Rage...  
Falling ideals, Broken seals, March to the shore,  
You're a killer.  
Is it something that always been there?  
Was it (always) destined to leave its cage.  
I'm glad we met though,  
I love to release the rage.  
But everything has its end, and I've done my deed.  
The final bullet  
was always meant for me.



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